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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Steve Wayne Holcomb

Art Unit: 3723

Application No.: 10/667,993

Examiner: Robert C. Watson

Filed: 09/23/03

For: ROOFERS TOOL

Amendment

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Alexandria VA. 22313-1450

In response to the office action mailed on Feb. 31, 2005 ,please amend the above identified application as follows.

Claim 5

5. (once amended) A staple and nail removal tool comprised of an "L" shaped flat bar having a length, a width, and a thickness wherein the major longitudinal axis of said "L" shaped flat bar defines a shank and the base of said "L" shaped flat bar defines a prying foot wherein